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Subject: Awareness Notification EPA-R7-2021-006200 (ethanol refinery in Mead, NE)

Attachments: FOIA EPA-R7-2021-006200 - Responsive Document.pdf

EPA-	08/30/2021	Chris	ORA	09/22/2021	09/24/2021	Awareness	Email from and response to
R7-		Dunker,				Notification	former Sen. Claire McCaskill of
2021-		Lincoln				09/02.	Missouri requesting a status
006200		Journal					update on a permit application
		Star					for an ethanol refinery in Mead,
							Nebraska. The email was dated
							1/20/2015, and the response
							was due 1/22/2015. The contact
							was LaTonya Sanders.

To whom it may concern:

Region 7 is responding to the above-referenced FOIA request. We are providing this awareness notification email pursuant to the Chief of Staff's November 16, 2018, memorandum "Awareness Notification Process for Select Freedom of Information Act Releases." Recipients of this email have up to three business days following transmission of this email to review the documents to be released.

There is no requirement for you to respond to this email or otherwise take action. The Action Office has completed review and obtained management approval consistent with the agency's FOIA policy and procedures.

After 4 p.m. on the third business day after transmission of this email, the Action Office will issue the Agency's FOIA determination to the requester(s). The determination will be issued promptly, but in no event later than one business day following completion of the three-day awareness notification period.

The information provided below is consistent with Paragraph 4 of the above-referenced November 16, 2018, memorandum.

Region 7											
FOIA Tracking #	Requester and Organization	Date Perfected	Date Sent for Awareness Notification	Brief Description	Interim or Final	Number of Pages or Records					
EPA-R7- 2021- 006200	Chris Dunker, Lincoln Journal Star	08/26/2021	09/14/2021	Email from and response to former Sen. Claire McCaskill of Missouri requesting a status update on a permit application for an ethanol refinery in Mead, Nebraska. The email was dated 1/20/2015, and the response was due 1/22/2015. The contact was LaTonya Sanders.	Final	1 record					

The following offices have equities in these records and have reviewed the relevant records: None

The manager who approved this release is: Alyse Stoy

The records is attached.

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